# **BILLS IN CONFERENCE**

Jefferson's Manual, sec. XLVI (Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives, sec. 555):

"And in all cases of conference asked after a vote of disagreement, etc., the conferees of the House asking it are to leave the papers with the conferees of the other \* \* \* ."

The House agreeing to the conference acts on the report before the House requesting a conference.

## FIRST SESSION

H.R. 6—To enhance energy conservation and research and development, to provide for security and diversity in the energy supply for the American people, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

July 31 (Legislative day of July 21), 2003.

Senate Conferees:

Sept. 4, 2003.

Messrs. Domenici, Nickles, Craig, Campbell, Thomas, Grassley, Lott, Bingaman, Dorgan, Graham of Florida, Wyden, Johnson, and Baucus.

House agreed to a conference:

Sept. 4, 2003.

House Conferees:

Sept. 5, 2003.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Tauzin, Bilirakis, Barton of Texas, Upton, Stearns, Gillmor, Shimkus, Dingell, Waxman, Markey, Boucher, and Rush.

From the Committee on Agriculture, for consideration of secs. 30202, 30208, 30212, Title III of Division C, secs. 30604, 30901, and 30903 of the House bill and secs. 265, 301, 604, 941-948, 950, 1103, 1221, 1311-1313, and 2008 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Goodlatte, Lucas of Oklahoma, and Stenholm.

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of secs. 11005, 11010, 14001-14007, 14009-14015, 21805 and 21806 of the House bill and secs. 301, 501-507, 509, 513, 809, 821, 914, 920, 1401, 1407-1409, 1411, 1801, and 1803 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Hunter, Weldon of Pennsylvania, and Skelton.

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of secs. 11021, 12014, 14033, and 30406 of the House bill and secs. 715, 774, 901, 903, 1505, and 1507 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. McKeon, Sam Johnson of Texas, and George Miller of California.

From the Committee on Financial Services, for consideration of Division G of the House bill and secs. 931-940 and 950 of the Senate amendment and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Oxley, Ney, and Ms. Waters.

From the Committee on Government Reform, for consideration of secs. 11002, 11005, 11006, 11010,

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House Conferees—Continued

11011, 14025, 14033, and 22002 of the House bill and secs. 263, 805, 806, 914-916, 918, 920, 1406, and 1410 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Tom Davis of Virginia, Murphy, and Tierney.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of secs. 12008, 12401, 14014, 14026, 14027, 14028, 14033, 16012, 16045, 16084, 30101, 30210, and 30408 of the House bill and secs. 206, 209, 253, 531-532, 708, 767, 783, and 1109 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Sensenbrenner, Smith of Texas, and Convers.

From the Committee on Resources, for consideration of secs. 12005, 12007, 12011, 12101, 13001, 21501, 21521-21530, Division C, and sec. 60009 of the House bill and secs. 201, 265, 272, 301, 401-407, 602-606, 609, 612, 705, 707, 712, 721, 1234, 1351-1352, 1704, and 1811 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Pombo, Mrs. Cubin, and Mr. Rahall.

Provided that Mr. Kind is appointed in lieu of Mr. Rahall for consideration of Title IV of Division C of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Science, for consideration of secs. 11009, 11025, 12301-12312, 14001-14007, 14009-14015, 14029, 15021-15024, 15031-15034, 15041, 15045, Division B, sec. 30301, Division E, and Division F of the House bill and secs. 501-507, 509, 513-516, 770-772, 807-809, 814-816, 824, 832, 1001-1022, Title XI, Title XII, Title XIII, Title XIV, secs. 1502, 1504-1505, Title XVI, and secs. 1801-1805 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Boehlert, Mrs. Biggert, and Mr. Hall.

Provided that Mr. Costello is appointed in lieu of Mr. Hall of Texas for consideration of Division E of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference.

Provided that Mr. Lampson is appointed in lieu of Mr. Hall of Texas for consideration of sec. 21708 and Division F of the House bill, and secs. 824 and 1223 of the Senate amendment and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of secs. 11001-11004, 11006, 11009-11011, 12001-12012, 12014, 12401, 12403, 13001, 13201, 13202, 15021-15024, 15031-15034, 15041, 15043, 15051, 16012, 16021, 16022, 16023, 16031, 16081, 16082, 16092, 23001-23004, 30407, 30410, and 30901 of the House bill and secs. 102, 201, 205, 301, 701-783, 812, 814, 816, 823,

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House Conferees—Continued

911-916, 918-920, 949, 1214, 1261-1262, and 1351-1352 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Young of Alaska, Petri, and Oberstar.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of Division D of the House bill and Division H and I of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Thomas, McCrery, and Rangel.

House Report filed:

Nov. 18 (Legislative day of Nov. 17), 2003; Rept. 108–375.

Report agreed to in House:

Nov. 18, 2003.

Conference report considered in Senate:

Nov. 19, 20, 21, 2003.

H.R. 2660—Making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

Sept. 10, 2003.

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. Specter, Cochran, Gregg, Craig, Mrs. Hutchison, Messrs. Stevens, DeWine, Shelby, Domenici, Harkin, Hollings, Inouye, Reid, Kohl, Mrs. Murray, Ms. Landrieu, and Mr. Byrd.

House agreed to a conference:

Oct. 2, 2003.

House Conferees:

Messrs. Regula, Istook, Wicker, Mrs. Northup, Mr. Cunningham, Ms. Granger, Messrs. Peterson of Pennsylvania, Sherwood, Weldon of Florida, Simpson, Young of Florida, Obey, Hoyer, Mrs. Lowey, Ms. DeLauro, Messrs. Jackson of Illinois, Kennedy of Rhode Island, and Ms. Roybal-Allard.

The conferees on the part of the House are discharged and H.R. 2660 is laid on the table pursuant to H. Res. 649 May 19, 2004.

H.R. 2765—Making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

Nov. 18, 2003.

Senate Conferees:

Mr. DeWine, Mrs. Hutchison, Messrs. Brownback, Stevens, Ms. Landrieu, Messrs. Durbin, and Inouye.

H.R. 2800—Making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference: Oct. 30, 2003.

## H.R. 2800—Continued

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. McConnell, Specter, Gregg, Shelby, Bennett, Campbell, Bond, DeWine, Stevens, Leahy, Inouye, Harkin, Ms. Mikulski, Messrs. Durbin, Johnson, Ms. Landrieu, and Mr. Byrd.

House agreed to a conference:

Nov. 5, 2003.

House Conferees:

Messrs. Kolbe, Knollenberg, Lewis of California, Wicker, Bonilla, Vitter, Kirk, Crenshaw, Young of Florida, Mrs. Lowey, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Ms. Kilpatrick, Mr. Rothman, Ms. Kaptur, and Mr. Obey.

H.R. 2861—Making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

Nov. 18, 2003.

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. Bond, Burns, Shelby, Craig, Domenici, DeWine, Mrs. Hutchison, Mr. Stevens, Ms. Mikulski, Messrs. Leahy, Harkin, Byrd, Johnson, Reid, and Inouve.

H.R. 2989—Making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation and Treasury, and independent agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

Oct. 23, 2003.

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. Shelby, Specter, Bond, Bennett, Campbell, Mrs. Hutchison, Messrs. DeWine, Brownback, Stevens, Mrs. Murray, Mr. Byrd, Ms. Mikulski, Messrs. Reid, Kohl, Durbin, Dorgan, and Inouye.

House agreed to a conference:

Oct. 29, 2003.

House Conferees:

Messrs. Istook, Wolf, Lewis of California, Rogers of Kentucky, Tiahrt, Mrs. Northup, Messrs. Aderholt, Sweeney, Culberson, Young of Florida, Hoyer, Olver, Pastor, Ms. Kilpatrick, Messrs. Clyburn, Rothman, and Obey.

# SECOND SESSION

H.R. 663—To amend title IX of the Public Health Service Act to provide for the improvement of patient safety and to reduce the incidence of events that adversely affect patient safety, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference: July 22, 2004.

#### H.R. 663—Continued

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. Gregg, Frist, Enzi, Alexander, Kennedy, Dodd, and Jeffords.

H.R. 1261—To enhance the workforce investment system of the Nation by strengthening one-stop career centers, providing for more effective governance arrangements, promoting access to a more comprehensive array of employment, training, and related services, establishing a targeted approach to serving youth, and improving performance accountability, and for other purposes.

House asked for a conference:

June 3, 2004.

House Conferees:

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Boehner, Petri, McKeon, Castle, Isakson, Porter, Kildee, Hinojosa, Tierney, and Ms. McCollum.

# H.R. 3550—To authorize funds for Federalaid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, and for other purposes.

Senate asked for a conference:

May 19, 2004.

Senate Conferees:

May 20, 2004.

Messrs. Inhofe, Warner, Bond, Voinovich, Grassley, Hatch, Nickles, Lott, Shelby, McCain, McConnell, Jeffords, Reid, Graham of Florida, Lieberman, Mrs. Boxer, Messrs. Daschle, Hollings, Sarbanes, Baucus, and Conrad.

House agreed to a conference:

June 3, 2004.

House Conferees:

From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of the House bill (except Title IX) and the Senate amendment (except Title V), and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Young of Alaska, Petri, Boehlert, Coble, Duncan, Mica, Hoekstra, Ehlers, Bachus, LaTourette, Gary G. Miller of California, Rehberg, Beauprez, Oberstar, Rahall, Lipinski, DeFazio, Costello, Ms. Norton, Messrs. Nadler, Menendez, Ms. Corrine Brown of Florida, Mr. Filner, and Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas.

From the Committee on the Budget, for consideration of secs. 8001-8003 of the House bill, and Title VI of the Senate amendment, and modifications committeed to conference: Messrs. Nussle, Shays, and Spratt.

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of secs. 1602 and 3030 of the House bill, and secs. 1306, 3013, 3032, and 4632 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. Ballenger, Mrs. Biggert, and Mr. George Miller of California.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of provisions in the House bill and Senate amendment relating to Clean Air Act provisions of transportation planning contained in sec. 6001 of the House bill, and secs. 3005 and 3006 of the Senate amendment; and secs. 1202, 1824,

## H.R. 3550—Continued

House Conferees—Continued

1828, and 5203 of the House bill, and secs. 1501, 1511, 1522, 1610-1619, 3016, 3023, 4108, 4151, 4152, 4155-4159, 4162, 4172, 4173, 4424, 4481, 4482, 4484, 4662, 8001, and 8002 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Barton of Texas, Pickering, and Dingell.

From the Committee on Government Reform, for consideration of sec. 1802 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Tom Davis of Virginia, Schrock, and Waxman.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of secs. 1105, 1207, 1602, 1812, 2011, 3023, 4105, 4108, 4201, 4202, 4204, 5209, 5501, 6001, 6002, 7012, 7019-7022, and 7024 of the House bill, and secs. 1512, 1513, 1802, 3006, 3022, 3030, 4104, 4110, 4174, 4226, 4231, 4234, 4265, 4307, 4308, 4315, 4424, 4432, 4440-4442, 4445, 4447, 4462, 4463, 4633, and 4661 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Sensenbrenner, Smith of Texas, and Conyers.

From the Committee on Resources, for consideration of secs. 1117, 3021, 6002, and 6003 of the House bill and secs. 1501, 1502, 1505, 1511, 1514, 1601, 1603, 3041, and 4521-4528 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Pombo, Gibbons, and Kind.

From the Committee on Rules, for consideration of secs. 8004 and 8005 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Dreier, Sessions, and Frost.

From the Committee on Science, for consideration of secs. 2001, 3013, 3015, 3034, 4112, and Title V of the House bill, and Title II, secs. 3014, 3015, 3037, 4102, 4104, 4237, and 4461 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Gilchrest, Neugebauer, and Gordon.

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of Title IX of the House bill, and Title V of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Thomas, McCrery, and Rangel.

For consideration of the House bill and Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. DeLay.

# S. 1920—To extend for 6 months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted.

House asked for a conference:

Jan. 28, 2004.

House Conferees:

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of the Senate bill and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Sensenbrenner, Hyde, Smith of Texas, Chabot, Cannon, Ms. Hart, Messrs. Conyers, Boucher, Nadler, and Watt.

From the Committee on Financial Services, for consideration of secs. 901-906, 908-909, 911, and 1301-1309 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Oxley, Bachus, and Sanders.

S. Con. Res. 95-Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2005 and including the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2006 through 2009.

House asked for a conference:

Mar. 30, 2004.

House Conferees:

For consideration of the Senate concurrent resolution and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Nussle, Portman, and Spratt.

Senate agreed to a conference: Mar. 31, 2004.

Senate Conferees:

Messrs. Nickles, Domenici, Grassley, Gregg, Conrad, Hollings, and Sarbanes.

House Report filed:
May 19 (Legislative day of May 18), 2004; Rept. 108-498.

Report agreed to in House:

May 19, 2004.